

The Leader.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF LOGAN COUNTY.

BY ROY HOFFMAN.

RAYMOND TIME TABLE.

NORTH BOUND.
 9:40, Chicago Express, 5:45 a. m.
 9:45, M. & N. River Express, 5:50 p. m.
 9:45, Way Freight, 7:00 a. m.
 9:45, Local Freight, 7:30 p. m.
SOUTH BOUND.
 9:40, Texas Express, 11:30 p. m.
 9:45, Oklahoma Express, 12:30 p. m.
 9:45, Way Freight, 1:00 p. m.
 Passengers should procure tickets before getting on the train.

IMPORTANT.

No goods are to be shipped in the DAILY EXPRESS without a written order signed by FRANK H. LUCKAS, Dec. 27, 1905. Business Manager.

SPRING'S lamentations are in order. The best thing to do with Hawaii is nothing.

QUEEN LILY had a right to be mad. It was ungentlemanly in ex-Minister Stevens to call her an "absurd anachronism."

The Midway Plaisance Equimaux took sea baths in Kansas City climate yesterday, enroute to the California midwinter fair.

It will be well for some of our people who like to pay as they go to consult the tax levy before investing too heavily in Christmas presents.

A YOUTH at Garden City pulled a gun on his teacher the other day. He was so dumb made thus inordinately by reading dime novels or popular campaign literature.

We have it straight that the young fellow in New York who tried to shoot himself through the head and couldn't was an enthusiastic advocate of double standard for Oklahoma.

THE NEWS illustrated writing up is as rotten a piece of blacksmithing as was ever turned out in Oklahoma. Less than 600 copies of the edition were printed, or 457 more than the regular edition.

DOC TAYLOR, who was banged in Virginia last Friday, promises to rise again in three days. The three days are up, and Doc still sleeps. Doc would have made a mighty poor baking powder ad.

AGAIN comes the feeble cry that everybody knew of the Flynn matter from the start. Then, why was it left for a Democratic administration to force Flynn to do his duty, and a Republican official to conceal?

THE PRESS-traveler crucified McMaster and did a good job of it, but it Mac can't get a newspaper somewhere to talk back through he will take virriol and a pain brush and put fresco work all over the moon.

CHARLEY MICHELL is now down near the Dry Tortugas and announces that he is ready to pay up a not fight. Corbett has not lately been heard from out with probably soon be to assist in the vicinity of the Lake of the Woods.

A NEW BOOK, soon to be issued by Dennis Flynn, entitled "The Unreasonableness of and How to Handle an Official Out," with a copious appendix entitled "How to Conceal It," by Horace Speed. But "don't let this become public."

THE rate of taxation is not too high, but the valuation is enormously excessive. But it had to be high somewhere to foot the bills, and tax payers must not lose sight of the fact that the city of Guthrie is yet paying almost the entire running expenses of Logan county.

A REVIEW of casualties on the football field for the months of October and November show eight deaths and seventy-three injured, some so severely as to make the rest of their lives drawn out agony. This is frightful, and unequaled by even a South American revolution.

TRAINS over the Choctaw now run so that the people of Oklahoma City and vicinity can go to El Reno and do their shopping, returning in the evening of the same day. It is a great convenience to the people of that city thus easy of access, since of course no Oklahoma town near would come to the capital to trade.

THE Kansas City Times people are hustlers. Within an hour after they were driven out of their burning house under peril of their lives, the composers were at their desks, the "twenty-five brainy young men" were at their desks, and everywhere with the same methodical movement, except perhaps a trifle increase of respiration, was preparation for the regular issue of a big, metropolitan daily at the old stand.

THE Hawaiian situation presents itself about this way: A and B each hold a farm in fee simple. A's holding is a magnificent plantation while B's would be dignified by calling it a truck patch. A is prosperous and powerful while B is poverty stricken and puny. A goes to B and says, "Here, you don't know how to run your place. I will take it away from you since I can manage it a mighty sight better than you can—I am a more moral man than you are, anyway," and from a republican stand.

WE MUST HAVE IT.

THE MUSEUM COMMITTEE STILL AT WORK BUT SUCCESS IS SLOW.

THE BUXTON UNIVERSITY MATTER.

To be Compromised for One Thousand Dollars—Meeting of the Board of Trade Last Evening.

The Board of Trade met in regular session last evening, with President Spengel in the chair and Secretary Marion manipulating the pencil. The attendance was very poor, but the house was kept warm with enthusiasm over the museum matter. Secretary Marion read the minutes of the last two meetings, and also gave the names of new subscribers to the museum fund.

The committee working in behalf of the museum fund reported slow progress owing to the Christmas trade. About \$400 have been subscribed to the fund.

Messrs. Spengel, Hart, Guss and Blass made stirring remarks showing the need of action in behalf of the enterprise. Said Mr. Blass: "We must have the museum. The trouble with this town is that it has too many barnacles—men who will not subscribe to a public enterprise, but reap the fruits of their neighbors' labors." It was moved and carried that the museum committee be continued.

President Spengel, broached the Buxton university matter and stated that he would compromise the suit with Fred Harris for \$1000. The members present were in favor of compromising the matter, and notice will be given to all members, so that decisive action can be taken next Wednesday night.

Mr. Guss stated that the Board committee had consulted the M. E. conference committee regarding the location of a university here, but no action was taken.

A committee of three was appointed to confer with Governor Renfrow regarding the World's Fair exhibits now in cars on the Santa Fe tracks. If the exhibits are ready to be moved the committee is willing to take and house them until ready to be placed in the museum.

Col. Shipley appeared before the Board regarding book advertising for Oklahoma. He explained his system at length, but no action was taken.

There being no other business the Board adjourned.

THE M'COY KILLING.
 DAVE BOHANAN, THE MURDERER, MAKES A STATEMENT.

Says He Intends to Give Himself Up to the Authorities the Latter Part of Next Month.

Tom McCoy, who was killed Monday night at Durant, by Dave Bohanan, was quite well known in this city. During the opening of the Cherokee strip, McCoy was at Perry and fired on a claim near that place. It is said, but became involved in a shooting and was forced to leave. R. R. Clark of Tulsa, was in the city yesterday. To the Logan man he gave the particulars of M'Coys death. Dave Bohanan, the murderer, is a desperado. He shot Ben Foreman and another man at South McAlester last September. He is now in hiding in the woods near Durant. He gave the following statement out to friends, regarding the M'Coys murder:

"I went to his home, got my dinner. He was not home when I first got there, but came shortly afterwards. He had his dinner and then got some whisky and we took a drink. I then said I had to go and he said I should go home with me. I told him to go get his horse and we would go. He said they would get my horse and his in the buggy and we go together. When we started, he began to grab at my Winchester, but I would not let him have it. He told me that he saw Nick Keefer, a man whom he had had a shooting scrape with only a short time ago. When I would not let him get hold of my Winchester he began trying to get my pistol. When we got to Tom Hanks's we got out of the buggy, and while my attention was called away, he grabbed my pistol from me and stuck it under the waist of my pants and drew out a small pocket pistol and fired three times at me. I kept out of his way and kept talking to him, trying to get him to stop. He then picked up a shot gun which was on the porch and raised it to fire at me. At that instant I raised my Winchester and shot him, the ball taking effect in the side, killing him instantly. He was drunk and evidently thought I was Nick Keefer. I then remained there until some of the neighbors came in and sent back to Tom McCoy's and got my saddle. Then I left."

Bohanan, in speaking of the Foreman killing, said he was making his arrangements to surrender in January, and also surrender to the Choctaw authorities for the killing of McCoy. McCoy was a Choctaw and Bohanan a Choctaw, but as the tragedy took place in the Choctaw Nation, the case will be tried in that nation. He has been on the scout ever since September.

J. H. Meeks, who lives near where McCoy lived, said when he got to McCoy he was lying face foremost on his small pistol, and Bohanan's pistol was still under the waist of his trousers, while he had the shotgun in his hands with one finger on the trigger and his thumb on the hammer, his left hand containing two loaded shotgun shells. His face was lying on the hand that was on the trigger.

Candy, 5 pounds, at Miller's Candy Kitchen.

What Causes It?
 Little Boy—Papa have you noticed the moon this time?
 Papa—No my son, but why do you

moon holds his nose now and what do you reckon makes him do it?
 Papa—I had not noticed it and can't tell.

Little Boy—Well a naughty boy told me yesterday that it was this Flynn and Speed danghill they were stirring up. But he said "please do not permit this to become public" as it might affect them.

OVER THE TERRITORY.

Bright and Breezy Bits of News Dished Up for the Benefit of "Leader" Readers.

Perry Democrat, Roy Hoffman, the talented young editor of one of the brightest and best papers in the territory—the Guthrie LEADER, was an agreeable caller Saturday. Roy is a rascal and is making his competitors jump themselves in order to keep space.

While Clyde Mattox was in custody a one-eyed man on his claim near Cross He was unable to present himself to the land office while he was being trailed and although he may have been the first settler he did not get to file.

Oklahoma Times-Journal: Not a blade of wheat has turned yellow yet from freezing, but north of Oklahoma clear a cross Kansas, the green leaves of the wheat, if any are left, are hidden by the yellow, frozen blades. It may not hurt any to freeze but a green field looks better than a yellow one.

A partial list of the newspapers now published in the "strip" is appended heretofore: Chronicle, Star, Pioneer, Blackwell—Eagle, Record, Times, Cross-Guide, Resident, Enid—Democrat, Eagle, Enterprise, Tribune, Medford—Journal, Monitor, Newkirk—Democrat, Republican, Times; Perry—Sentinel, Times, Herald, Bastler, Democrat, Bond Creek—Echo, Pioneer, Republican, Sentinel, Tribune; Pawnee—Democrat, Record, Scout, Times; Woodward—Advocate, Jeffersonian.

WAYNE MACVEACH HONORED.
 The Ex-Ambassador General Named as Ambassador to Italy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Wayne MacVeagh, attorney-general of the United States in President Garfield's cabinet, but for some time an ardent supporter of President Cleveland, was today appointed ambassador to Italy and his nomination was sent to the senate.

Local Markets.
 Wheat, hard..... 42 60 45
 Wheat, soft..... 45 60 48
 Oats..... 30 60 33
 Corn..... 50 60 53
 Hay..... 10 60 13
 Hogs..... 10 60 13
 Sheep..... 10 60 13
 Cows..... 10 60 13
 Steers..... 10 60 13
 Chickens, old..... 10 60 13
 Spring Chickens..... 10 60 13
 Turkeys..... 10 60 13
 Ducks..... 10 60 13
 Green Beans..... 10 60 13
 Castor Beans..... 10 60 13
 Broom corn, per ton..... 25 00 28 00
 Eggs..... 15 60 20
 Butter..... 10 60 13
 Cotton, lard..... 6 60 6 75
 Cotton, in the seed..... 1 25 9 1 25
 Guthrie, Dec. 30, 1905.

After the concert to-morrow night all things then in the fancy booth will be sold by auction.

Busenark is selling Xmas candies and fruits. You must see his stock. Prices down. 1516

Don't forget to go to Ed's bakery 119 Harrison avenue, for our Xmas fruits and nuts for our 5¢ selling cheap to meet obligation. 1516

See the "Kandle Citehin's" fine display of candies before purchasing your Christmas candy. 15

The Japanese booth is a marvel of beauty, and the ladies who serve you with tea, coffee, etc., are dressed very unique and thick, when you are slipping tea in these booths, that you were in the land of the rising sun, they are so natural. 15

The "Kandle Citehin" is at 117 Oklahoma avenue. 15

The new shoe store at 118 Harrison avenue keeps everything in footwear at prices—well, call and we will explain. 15

The suppers are still as good as one could wish. Everything first-class in every particular and only 25 cents. 15

Candy enough at Miller's on Second street to supply all Oklahoma. 1613

Now you must buy boots and shoes. This weather compels you to. Willbelmy, at 118 Harrison avenue, can save you money in that line. 15

FOR SALE—A lady's pony. Call at 415 North First street. 1614

FOR RENT—One commodious six-room house close to the Catholic church, with cellar, stable, buggy shed, wood shed and a good well. Rent very cheap. Address lock box 153. 1616

The doll and the candy booths are as sweet and pretty as the young ladies who serve you, and you can find anything there that you want in either line. 15

Ed's bakery is loaded with fine candies, fruits and nuts. Must sell everything during the holidays. 1616

Statutes Bound Properly.
 The LEADER bindery is turning out statutes by the wholesale. The binding is the best ever done in the west. Call at this office and see them. 15

"Santa Claus" headquarters at the "Kandle Citehin." 15

Willbelmy, the shoe man, is located at 118 Harrison avenue and can give you "pointers" when you want anything in his line. 15

Supreme Court Reports.
 Round copies of the first volume of Oklahoma Supreme Court reports can be had upon application to Edgar Jones, territorial librarian. 15

Sunday schools and churches should take advantage and buy candies of Ed's bakery where they can get it cheap. 1616

The masquerade ball to be given by the German aid society December 30 will be the grandest affair of the season. Don't miss it. 111f

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